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To assure product SAFETY and RELIABILITY, repairs, maintenance and adjustments should be performed by Black & Decker Service Centers or other qualified service organizations, always using Black & Decker replacement parts. Black & Decker's full two year home use warranty states that, in case of a defect, you may return the tool to the place of purchase for a free replacement (if it is a participating retailer) or you may take it to a Black & Decker Service Center.

Home Use Warranty (A Full Two Year Warranty)

Black & Decker (U.S.) Inc. warrants this product for two years against any defects that are due to faulty material or workmanship. Please return the complete unit, transportation prepaid, to the seller (if a participating retailer) for free replacement (proof of purchase may be required). The unit may also be returned to a Black & Decker Service Center or Authorized Service Station, listed under "Tools, Electric" in the yellow pages for free replacement or repair at our option. This warranty does not apply to accessories. This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may have other rights which vary from state to state. Should you have any questions, contact your nearest Black & Decker Service Center Manager.

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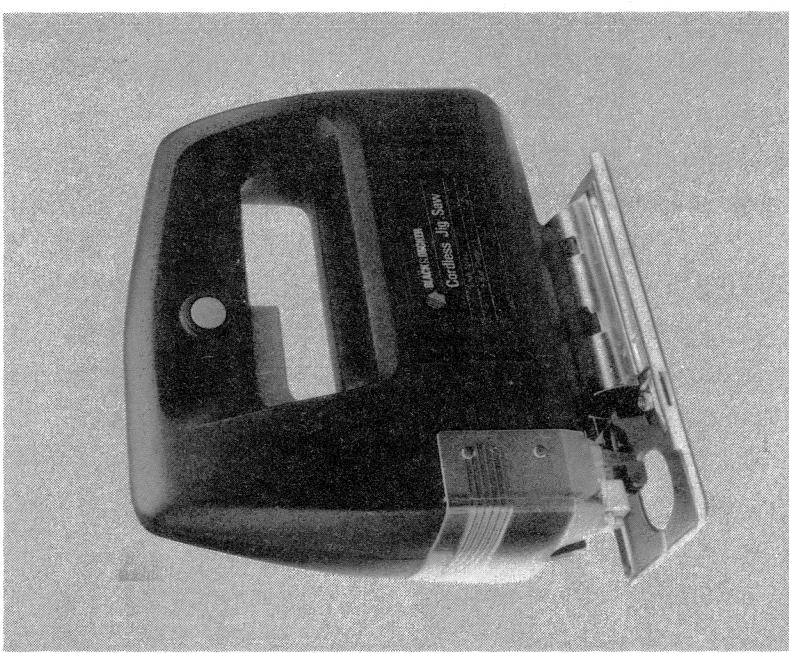


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Instruction Manual

Cordless Jig Saw

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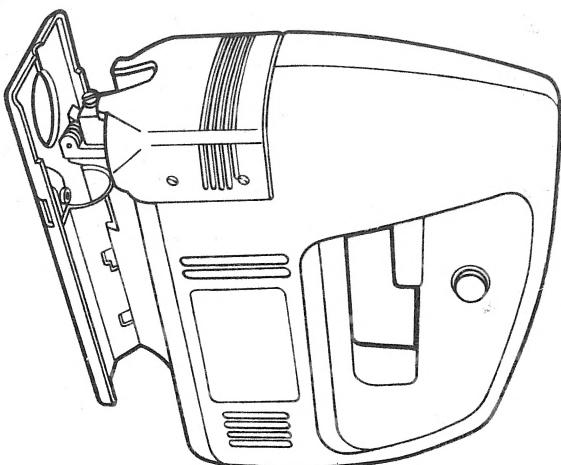
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Important Safety Instructions

WARNING: When using Cordless Tools, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce risk of fire, shock, and personal injury, including the following:

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS



Thanks for buying a Black & Decker Cordless Jig Saw.

Your new CORDLESS JIG SAW is very versatile. It offers the ultimate in convenience and electrical safety. You can forget the electrical outlet, forget the cord and take your CORDLESS JIG SAW anywhere.

For safe and efficient operation of your new CORDLESS JIG SAW, please take the time to read all the safety rules

and operating instructions. Be aware that this is always in an operating condition, because it is battery powered and does not have to be plugged into an electrical outlet.

Don't forget to send in your owner's registration card.

Thanks again for buying Black &

Decker.

1. **KEEP WORK AREA CLEAN.** Cluttered areas and benches invite injuries.
2. **CONSIDER WORK AREA ENVIRONMENT.** Don't expose power tools to rain. Don't use power tools in damp or wet locations. Keep work area well lit.
3. **GUARD AGAINST ELECTRIC SHOCK.** Prevent body contact with grounded surfaces. For example: pipes, radiators, ranges, refrigerator enclosures.
4. **KEEP CHILDREN AWAY.** All visitors should be kept away from work area. Do not let visitors contact tool or extension cord.
5. **STORE IDLE TOOLS.** When not in use, tools should be stored in dry, and high or locked-up place—out of reach of children.
6. **DON'T FORCE TOOL.** It will do the job better and safer at the rate for which it was intended.
7. **USE RIGHT TOOL.** Don't force small tool or attachment to do the job of a heavy-duty tool. Don't use tool for purpose not intended, for example, don't use circular saw for cutting tree limbs or logs.
8. **DRESS PROPERLY.** Do not wear loose clothing or jewelry. They can be caught in moving parts. Rubber gloves and non-skid footwear are recommended when working outdoors. Wear protective hair covering to contain long hair.
9. **USE SAFETY GLASSES.** Also use face or dustmask if cutting operation is dusty.
10. **SECURE WORK.** Use clamps or a vise to hold work. It's safer than using your hand and it frees both hands to operate tool.
11. **DON'T OVERREACH.** Keep proper footing and balance at all times.
12. **MAINTAIN TOOLS WITH CARE.** Keep tools sharp and clean for better and safe performance. Follow instructions for lubricating and changing accessories. Keep handles dry, clean, and free from oil and grease.
13. **REMOVE ADJUSTING KEYS AND WRENCHES.** Form habit of checking to see that keys and adjusting wrenches are removed from tool before turning it on.
14. **AVOID UNINTENTIONAL STARTING.** Don't carry tool with finger on trigger.
15. **STAY ALERT.** Watch what you are doing. Use common sense. Do not operate tool when you are tired.
16. **CHECK DAMAGED PARTS.** Before further use of the tool, a guard or other part that is damaged should be carefully checked to determine that it will operate and perform its intended function. Check for alignment of moving parts, binding of moving parts, breakage of parts, mounting, and any other conditions that may affect its operation. A guard or other part that is damaged should be properly repaired or replaced by an authorized service center unless otherwise indicated elsewhere in this instruction manual. Have defective switches replaced by authorized service center. Do not use tool if switch does not turn it on and off.
17. **DO NOT OPERATE** tools near flammable liquids or in gaseous or explosive atmospheres. Motors in these tools normally spark, and the sparks might ignite fumes.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE

Important Charger & Jig Saw Safety Instructions

RECOMMENDED MINIMUM AWG* SIZE FOR EXTENSION CORDS ON BATTERY CHARGERS	
AC Input Rating Amperes**	Size of Cord
Equal to or greater than	Length of Cord, Feet
1	25
2	18
3	18
3	16
4	18
4	16
4	14

*American Wire Gauge
**If the input rating of a charger is given in watts rather than in amperes, the corresponding ampere rating is to be determined by dividing the wattage rating by the voltage rating—for example:

1250 watts / 125 volts = 10 amperes
9. Do not operate charger with damaged cord or plug — have them replaced immediately by a qualified service center.

10. Do not operate charger if it has received a sharp blow, been dropped, or otherwise damaged in any way; take it to a qualified Black & Decker Service Center.

11. Do not disassemble charger; take it to a qualified Black & Decker Service Center when service or repair is required. Incorrect reassembly may result in a risk of electrical shock or fire. There are no consumer serviceable parts inside.

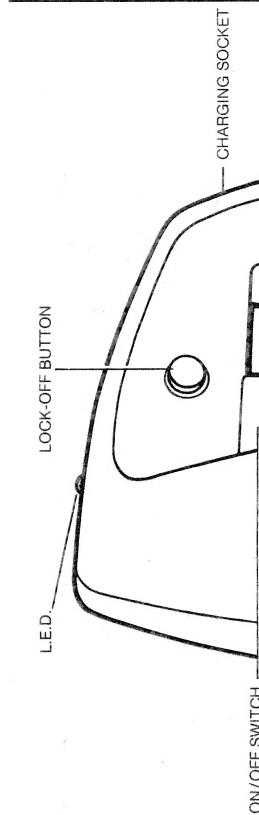
12. To reduce risk of electric shock, unplug charger from outlet before cleaning.

13. NEVER attempt to connect 2 Chargers together.

14. DO NOT store the Tool in locations where the temperature may reach or exceed 105°F (such as outside sheds or metal buildings in summer).

15. DO NOT charge Jig Saw when its air temperature is BELOW +40°F or ABOVE +90°F.

16. DO NOT incinerate the Jig Saw even if it is severely damaged or completely worn out. The batteries can explode in a fire. A small leakage of liquid from the battery cells may occur under extreme usage, charging or temperature conditions. This does not indicate a failure. However, if the outer seal is broken and this leakage gets on your skin —
a. Wash quickly with soap and water.
b. Neutralize with a mild acid such as lemon juice or vinegar.



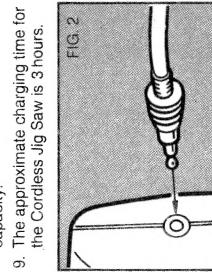
Important Charger Notes (Figure 2)

- To charge the batteries, locate the charging socket in rear of the jig saw (Figure 2) and plug the charger into a suitable socket. The L.E.D. will light, indicating the batteries are charging. Charge the batteries for 24 hours the first time or otherwise it will reduce its capacity to accept a full charge in the future.
- When you charge your Jig saw for the first time, or after prolonged storage, it will only accept about an 80% charge. However, after several charge and discharge cycles, the batteries will come up to full capacity.
- Longest life and best performance can be obtained if the batteries are charged when the air temperature is about +75°F/25°C. DO NOT charge the batteries in an air temperature below +40°F/5°C or above +90°F. This is important and will prevent serious damage to the batteries.
- While charging, the Charger may heat and become warm to touch. This is a normal condition and does not indicate a problem.

- If the batteries do not charge properly: (1) Check the current at receptacle by plugging in a lamp or other appliance. (2) Check to see if receptacle is connected to a light switch which turns power off when the light is turned off. (3) Move Charger and Jig Saw to a surrounding air temperature of approximately 75°F. (4) If the receptacle and temperature are O.K. and you do not get proper charging, take or send the tool and Charger to your local Black & Decker Service Center. See guarantee card.
- NOTE: When using this alternative clamp, the blade support roller must be adjusted away from the blade. Loosen the slot headed screw on the side of the saw (C) (Figure 4), adjust the roller back as far as it will go and retighten the screw.

- The Jig saw should be recharged when it fails to produce sufficient power on jobs which were easily done previously. DO NOT CONTINUE to use under these conditions. Repeat the charging procedure.
- If stored without the charger plugged in the batteries may slowly self-discharge. Normal charging will make the Jig saw ready for use.
- After prolonged storage or repetitive use the batteries may appear to have reduced capacity. If this occurs adopt the following procedure:

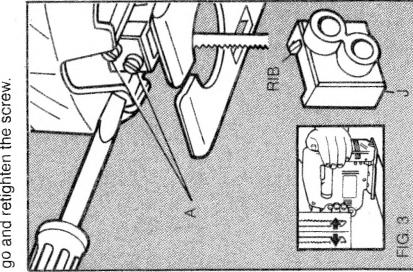
- charge batteries normally
- fully discharge the batteries (best done by using the Jig saw until it no longer cuts easily and then hold the Jig saw in mid air with the switch on until the motor stops).
- charge for 24 hours - the batteries should now have full capacity.



Attaching the Saw Blade (Figure 3)

Do not hold the Jig saw by the switch when attaching blades. To achieve a greater variety of applications this saw has a right angle blade clamp. This allows the teeth to face left or right from the normal direction. To attach this alternative clamp, first remove the standard clamp by removing the two screws marked (A) and then attach the right-angle clamp (J) ensuring that the identification rib is pointing towards the top of the unit. The blade can now be inserted into its location and the clamp fully tightened.

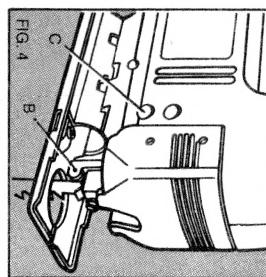
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Blade Support Roller (Figure 4)

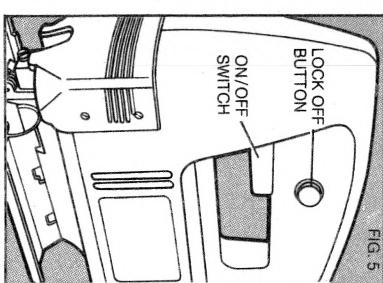
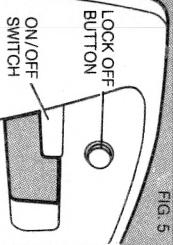
To provide greater blade support this saw is also fitted with a blade support roller. This improves the cutting performance when the saw is used on tougher materials. Each time the saw blade is changed, the blade support roller must be adjusted up to rear of the blade. To do this loosen the slot headed screw on the side of the saw (C) (Figure 4) and adjust the blade support roller so that it LIGHTLY touches the back of the saw blade with the tool running at no load.

NOTE: When using a scrolling blade, adjust the Support Roller back (away from the blade) as far as possible.



Switch Operation

To operate the tool. First press-in the lock off button (Figure 5), and then pull up the on/off switch. Once the on/off switch is released, the unit will cease to operate.



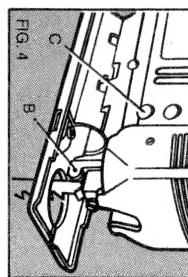
Adjusting the Shoe (Figure 6)

CUTTING ANGLE

The jigsaw shoe can be angled relative to the body of the unit from 0°-45° on either side. To achieve this, raise the chip shield, loosen both screws marked B in Figure 6 and tilt the saw to the required angle relative to the shoe. The edge of the motor housing is the line for the required angle. Tighten both screws marked B to secure the shoe at that angle.

Although the set scale on the shoe is accurate for most purposes it is advisable, for very accurate angle cutting to check the angle of cut with a protractor. For flush cutting the shoe should be locked in the 0° position by moving it backwards and tightening both screws marked B. To reset the shoe for a square cut, slacken the clamp screws and move the shoe until it is approximately 90° to the blade, release pressure on the shoe, tighten B in Figure 6 and move the shoe as far back as it will go. Tighten both screws marked B to secure the shoe.

SPLINTER CONTROL
When sawing brittle or thin pieces of wood, splintering can be reduced by moving the shoe to support the wood at the point of cut. To achieve this, loosen both screws marked B in Figure 6 and move the shoe as far back as it will go. Tighten both screws marked B to secure the shoe.



Operation

POCKET CUTTING (Figure 9)

The saw blade can be inserted directly into a wood surface without first drilling a pilot hole (Figure 9) thus eliminating a drilling operation. First measure and clearly mark the surface to be cut. Then tip the saw forward so that the rounded tips of the shoe rest on the work surface, but with the blade well clear of it. Switch the saw ON and move it in its 'tilted-up' position until the moving blade is exactly over the chosen point of entry. Lower the rear of the shoe toward the work maintaining a firm pivoting pressure on the shoe tips with the blade exactly on the line. DO NOT MOVE THE SAW FORWARD ALONG ITS CUT until the saw blade has completely entered the material and the shoe comes to rest flat on its surface.

FIG. 5

FIG. 6

FIG. 7

FIG. 8

FIG. 9

FIG. 10

CHIP SHIELD (Figure 7 and 8)

As an added feature, your cordless Jig Saw is fitted with a chip shield. To operate the shield, simply press on the front surface and slide it up (Figure 7) or down (Figure 8) as far as it will go.

NOTE: When cutting at an angle, always keep the chip shield in the up position.

CUTTING LAMINATES (Figure 11)

The blades of the cordless saw cut on the upstroke so any tendency for edge splintering will occur on the face of the material nearest the saw shoe. When sawing thin wood or plastic laminates use a fine tooth metal cutting blade and cut from the back surface of the material. To minimize the risk of chipping the edges of plastic laminate (such as Formica, Waterside, etc.) clamp a piece of scrap wood or hardboard to both sides of the laminate to form a sandwich and saw through the complete assembly. Always select the right blade for the job (consult accessory table).

METAL AND LAMINATED CUTTING (Figure 10)

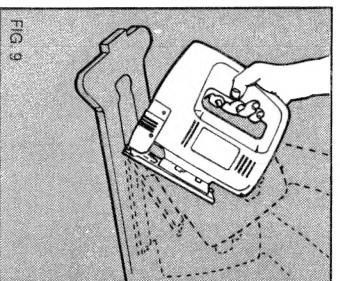
LAMINATE

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HARD BOARD

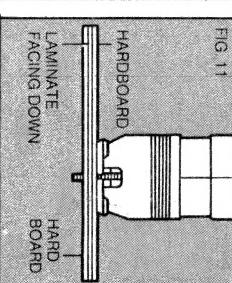
FACING DOWN



Cleaning and Lubrication

Use only mild soap and a damp cloth to clean the tool. Other cleaners contain chemicals which could seriously damage the plastic. Never let any liquid get inside the tool; never immerse any part of the tool into a liquid.

Self-lubricating bearings are used in the tool and periodic lubrication is not required. In the unlikely event that this tool should require service, take or send it to your local Black & Decker Service Center. Service Center addresses are listed on the owner's registration card packed with your tool.



Storage

storage in outside metal bin where the temperature could above +120°F in summer, a could damage the Jig Saw.

3. Long storage will not harm Jig Saw or Charger. Under the following conditions (given above) the tool can be stored for 5 years or more without harm.

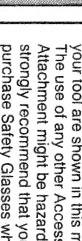
Accessories

The accessories listed in any accessory manual, please contact your local dealer or Black & Decker Services Department U.S. Power Tools Group P.O. Box 857 10 North Park Drive Hunt Valley, MD 21030-06 Recommended Accessories Your tool is shown in this manual listing of Service Centers is included on the owner's registration card packed with your tool.

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REGULAR CUTTING BLADE

Rough, straight cuts in wood
Flush wall, joint cut; knife edge
3 1/2 in. long 3 1/2 in. long 3 1/2 in.
7 teeth per inch 7 teeth per inch 10 teeth per inch



SPECIALTY CUTTING BLADE
Flush wall, joint cut; knife edge
special materials
3 1/2 in. long 3 1/2 in. long 3 1/2 in.
7 teeth per inch 7 teeth per inch 10 teeth per inch

RIP FENCE
For straight ripping

FINISH CUTTING BLADES
Straight or scroll cuts in wood, laminates
3 in. long 3 in. long 3 in.
20 teeth per inch 10 teeth per inch 10 teeth per inch

METAL CUTTING BLADES
Cuts through ferrous and non-
metals
3 in. long 3 in. long 3 in.
32 teeth per inch 24 teeth per inch